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First Named Inventor	William R. GAMBLE
Art Unit	1621
Examiner Name	Peter G. O'SULLIVAN
Attorney Docket Number	AM101604 CIP3 CON

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Applicants:	William R. GAMBLE, et al.	Title:	HIGH MOLECULAR WEIGHT PRIMARY ALIPHATIC ALCOHOLS OBTAINED FROM NATURAL PRODUCTS AND USES THEREOF
Filed:	July 18, 2003		
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Appl. No. 10/622,249

Confirmation No. 3266

Applicants: William R. GAMBLE, et al.

Title: HIGH MOLECULAR WEIGHT
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL
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Sir:

This Amendment is submitted in response to the final Office Action in the above case mailed December 14, 2004, and after the filing of a Notice of Appeal on March 14, 2005. Please reconsider the above-identified patent application in view of the remarks presented hereinafter, and the Request for Continued Examination (RCE) filed herewith and Petition for 3-Month Extension requested herein.

The Listing of the Claims presently pending begins on 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.

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